

Claims:

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1           6. (Amended) The system of Claim 1, wherein the one or more tests comprise a rhyme  
2   recognition test for testing the ability to recognize rhymes, a rhyme generation test for testing the  
3   ability to generate rhymes, a beginning and ending sound recognizer for testing the ability to  
4   recognize the beginning and ending sounds of a word, a word decoder test for testing the ability  
5   to read by sounding out a written word, a sound blender test for testing the ability to blend sound  
6   units together to form words, a sound segmenting test for testing the ability to segment a sound  
7   unit into smaller sound units, a sound manipulator test for testing the ability to manipulate sound  
8   units to form a new unit, a sequential verbal recall test for testing the ability to recall a sequence  
9   of spoken items, a rapid naming test for testing the ability to rapidly name one or more items,  
10   and a letter naming and symbol/sound association test for testing the ability to name letters and  
11   identify the association between a symbol and an associated sound.

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1            53. (Amended)            The portable media product of Claim 48 further comprising  
2        instructions to generate one or more tests comprising a rhyme recognition test for testing the  
3        ability to recognize rhymes, a rhyme generation test for testing the ability to generate rhymes, a  
4        beginning and ending sound recognizer for testing the ability to recognize the beginning and  
5        ending sounds of a word, a word decoder test for testing the ability to read by sounding out a  
6        written word, a sound blender test for testing the ability to blend sound units together to form  
7        words, a sound segmenting test for testing the ability to segment a sound unit into smaller sound  
8        units, a sound manipulator test for testing the ability to manipulate sound units to form a new  
9        unit, a sequential verbal recall test for testing the ability to recall a sequence of spoken items, a  
10       rapid naming test for testing the ability to rapidly name one or more items, and a letter naming  
11       and symbol/sound association test for testing the ability to name letters and identify the  
12       association between a symbol and an associated sound.

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1           100. (Amended)       The system of Claim 95, wherein the one or more tests comprise a  
2 rhyme recognition test for testing the ability to recognize rhymes, a rhyme generation test for  
3 testing the ability to generate rhymes, a beginning and ending sound recognizer for testing the  
4 ability to recognize the beginning and ending sounds of a word, a word decoder test for testing  
5 the ability to read by sounding out a written word, a sound blender test for testing the ability to  
6 blend sound units together to form words, a sound segmenting test for testing the ability to  
7 segment a sound unit into smaller sound units, a sound manipulator test for testing the ability to  
8 manipulate sound units to form a new unit, a sequential verbal recall test for testing the ability to  
9 recall a sequence of spoken items, a rapid naming test for testing the ability to rapidly name one  
10 or more items, and a letter naming and symbol/sound association test for testing the ability to  
11 name letters and identify the association between a symbol and an associated sound.

1           147. (Amended)       The method of Claim 142, wherein the one or more tests comprise  
2   a rhyme recognition test for testing the ability to recognize rhymes, a rhyme generation test for  
3   testing the ability to generate rhymes, a beginning and ending sound recognizer for testing the  
4   ability to recognize the beginning and ending sounds of a word, a word decoder test for testing  
5   the ability to read by sounding out a written word, a sound blender test for testing the ability to  
6   blend sound units together to form words, a sound segmenting test for testing the ability to  
7   segment a sound unit into smaller sound units, a sound manipulator test for testing the ability to  
8   manipulate sound units to form a new unit, a sequential verbal recall test for testing the ability to  
9   recall a sequence of spoken items, a rapid naming test for testing the ability to rapidly name one  
10   or more items, and a letter naming and symbol/sound association test for testing the ability to  
11   name letters and identify the association between a symbol and an associated sound.

1           194. (Amended)       The system of Claim 189, wherein the one or more tests comprise  
2   a rhyme recognition test for testing the ability to recognize rhymes, a rhyme generation test for  
3   testing the ability to generate rhymes, a beginning and ending sound recognizer for testing the  
4   ability to recognize the beginning and ending sounds of a word, a word decoder test for testing  
5   the ability to read by sounding out a written word, a sound blender test for testing the ability to  
6   blend sound units together to form words, a sound segmenting test for testing the ability to  
7   segment a sound unit into smaller sound units, a sound manipulator test for testing the ability to  
8   manipulate sound units to form a new unit, a sequential verbal recall test for testing the ability to  
9   recall a sequence of spoken items, a rapid naming test for testing the ability to rapidly name one  
10   or more items, and a letter naming and symbol/sound association test for testing the ability to  
11   name letters and identify the association between a symbol and an associated sound.

1           242. (Amended)       The method of Claim 237, wherein the one or more tests comprise  
2   a rhyme recognition test for testing the ability to recognize rhymes, a rhyme generation test for  
3   testing the ability to generate rhymes, a beginning and ending sound recognizer for testing the  
4   ability to recognize the beginning and ending sounds of a word, a word decoder test for testing  
5   the ability to read by sounding out a written word, a sound blender test for testing the ability to  
6   blend sound units together to form words, a sound segmenting test for testing the ability to  
7   segment a sound unit into smaller sound units, a sound manipulator test for testing the ability to  
8   manipulate sound units to form a new unit, a sequential verbal recall test for testing the ability to  
9   recall a sequence of spoken items, a rapid naming test for testing the ability to rapidly name one  
10   or more items, and a letter naming and symbol/sound association test for testing the ability to  
11   name letters and identify the association between a symbol and an associated sound.

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1            289. (Amended)       The server of Claim 284, wherein the one or more tests comprise a  
2 rhyme recognition test for testing the ability to recognize rhymes, a rhyme generation test for  
3 testing the ability to generate rhymes, a beginning and ending sound recognizer for testing the  
4 ability to recognize the beginning and ending sounds of a word, a word decoder test for testing  
5 the ability to read by sounding out a written word, a sound blender test for testing the ability to  
6 blend sound units together to form words, a sound segmenting test for testing the ability to  
7 segment a sound unit into smaller sound units, a sound manipulator test for testing the ability to  
8 manipulate sound units to form a new unit, a sequential verbal recall test for testing the ability to  
9 recall a sequence of spoken items, a rapid naming test for testing the ability to rapidly name one  
10 or more items, and a letter naming and symbol/sound association test for testing the ability to  
11 name letters and identify the association between a symbol and an associated sound.

1 345. (Amended) The system of Claim 340, wherein the one or more tests comprise  
2 a rhyme recognition test for testing the ability to recognize rhymes, a rhyme generation test for  
3 testing the ability to generate rhymes, a beginning and ending sound recognizer for testing the  
4 ability to recognize the beginning and ending sounds of a word, a word decoder test for testing  
5 the ability to read by sounding out a written word, a sound blender test for testing the ability to  
6 blend sound units together to form words, a sound segmenting test for testing the ability to  
7 segment a sound unit into smaller sound units, a sound manipulator test for testing the ability to  
8 manipulate sound units to form a new unit, a sequential verbal recall test for testing the ability to  
9 recall a sequence of spoken items, a rapid naming test for testing the ability to rapidly name one  
10 or more items, and a letter naming and symbol/sound association test for testing the ability to  
11 name letters and identify the association between a symbol and an associated sound.



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1        392.(Amended)        The method of Claim F, wherein the one or more tests comprise a  
2 rhyme recognition test for testing the ability to recognize rhymes, a rhyme generation test for  
3 testing the ability to generate rhymes, a beginning and ending sound recognizer for testing the  
4 ability to recognize the beginning and ending sounds of a word, a word decoder test for testing  
5 the ability to read by sounding out a written word, a sound blender test for testing the ability to  
6 blend sound units together to form words, a sound segmenting test for testing the ability to  
7 segment a sound unit into smaller sound units, a sound manipulator test for testing the ability to  
8 manipulate sound units to form a new unit, a sequential verbal recall test for testing the ability to  
9 recall a sequence of spoken items, a rapid naming test for testing the ability to rapidly name one  
10 or more items, and a letter naming and symbol/sound association test for testing the ability to  
11 name letters and identify the association between a symbol and an associated sound.

1           440. (Amended)       The system of Claim 435, wherein the one or more tests comprise  
2   a rhyme recognition test for testing the ability to recognize rhymes, a rhyme generation test for  
3   testing the ability to generate rhymes, a beginning and ending sound recognizer for testing the  
4   ability to recognize the beginning and ending sounds of a word, a word decoder test for testing  
5   the ability to read by sounding out a written word, a sound blender test for testing the ability to  
6   blend sound units together to form words, a sound segmenting test for testing the ability to  
7   segment a sound unit into smaller sound units, a sound manipulator test for testing the ability to  
8   manipulate sound units to form a new unit, a sequential verbal recall test for testing the ability to  
9   recall a sequence of spoken items, a rapid naming test for testing the ability to rapidly name one  
10   or more items, and a letter naming and symbol/sound association test for testing the ability to  
11   name letters and identify the association between a symbol and an associated sound.